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Update: Criminal Procedure Monograph 5—Preliminary Examinations (Revised Edition)

Part A—Commentary

5.30 Examination of Witnesses

Insert the following language after the second paragraph on page 42:

Effective March 4, 2004, 2004 PA 20 added section 11a to the statutory provisions governing preliminary examination testimony. MCL 760.11a provides:

“On motion of either party, the magistrate may permit the testimony of an expert witness or, upon a showing of good cause, any witness to be conducted by means of telephonic, voice, or video conferencing.”